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Hello out there in Sasquatch Land! In this issue, you are going to see articles on Bigfoot from Peter Byrne and Bill Kingsley. If anybody has encountered Bigfoot, please feel free to contact me. Here is my address if you want to report a sighting or to send information etc. for my newsletter.
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THE NEW ENGLAND SASQUATCH
Thank You
From the Editor
Billy Green
Editor's note: Starting next month, there will be a letter to the editor section. Feel free to send any comments about Bigfoot or anything related to it.

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Billy Green of Bristol has been fascinated with the legend of Bigfoot for 10 years. He edits a newsletter called The Bigfoot Record and corresponds with people nationwide who claim to
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Corey Lowenstein / Special to The Courant
have spotted the man-ape. He says he was skeptical at the beginning of his research into Bigfoot, but has since become convinced of its existence.
Local man goes ape over Bigfoot legend
By MAXINE BERNSTEIN
Courant Staff Writer
BRISTOL
- A painting of a giant, hairy, man-like ape rests on the wall above Billy Green's bed. His bookcase is filled with stories about the legend of the beast known as Bigfoot. And two suitcases in his room are stuffed with news clippings about Bigfoot sightings.

But sometimes Green gets hoax
mail, such as one from a writer
who began a letter with the
sentence: "I am Bigfoot.'
HARTFORD COURANT Aug. 20,
For the past 10 years, the 23-year-old Bris'
ol native has devoted a substantial part of his
ife to researching the mysterious creature, and
orresponding with people across the country
who claim to have seen Bigfoot.
Green's Benham Street home is now head-
quarters for The New England Bigfoot Info
Center. As director, the Bristol man edits a
newsletter called The Bigfoot Record.
Most of his friends think he's nuts. His
nother says her son's obsession with Bigfoot
seems somewhat strange, but she supports him
ind is simply glad that he's not into drugs, or as
she puts it, crazy rock music.
"He's got me almost believing," said his
nother, Barbara Green. "When I was working,
e'd call California on my telephone bill. Now I
ave to lock the phone so he doesn't call his
writes letters to the editor in a local newspaper
sharing information that he receives and solicit-
ing any inquiries.
A Pennsylvania resident, for example, re-
cently wrote to Green that he saw an 8-foot-tall
creature who walked upright with 14.5-inch-
long. feet and a tough, leathery-hide type red-
dish-brown fur.
But sometimes Green gets hoax mail, such
1992 is one from a writer who began with the sen-
Bigfoot friends. But, I can't complain. It's clean
fun."
Green's interest in the legendary creature
started when he picked up a book titled "Bigfoot
All Over the Country" at age 13. At first, he said,
he was skeptical about the creature's existence.
But after watching documentary films on the
beast, and talking to witnesses who claimed to
have seen the creature, Green became con-
vinced of Bigfoot's existence.
"I just continued to follow up on it and
reading more books," he said. Soon he was
swapping letters with people from across the
nation who had started their own Bigfoot re-
search clubs and newsletters. And he often
tence: "I am Bigfoot."
Green said his research used to be a hobby,
but now it has become a full-time task. The
Bristol man has been unemployed for two years,

and is currently looking for work in between his Bigfoot studies.
"A lot of people are afraid to admit they've seen Bigfoot because they don't want to be ridiculed," Green said. "I used to get picked on a lot, but I got used to it. I tell people 'If you don't believe it, fine. Think what you want, but mind your own business.'
Green has not seen the creature himself.
But he would like to. And, as long as people keep reporting sightings of Bigfoot, Green plans t continue keeping track of them.
"I just find it fascinating," Green said.
WIllam Kingsley
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CREDIT TO BILL KINGSLEY
Bigfoot apparently likes Tuscola County
BY MARY DRIER
News Special Writer
CARO Bigfoot is no hoax to two Caro men who claim they spotted a pair of the creatures on Patti-son Road near Mayville, says the director of the Michigan-Canadian Bigfoot Information Center.
Even so, Wayne W. King, a skeptic turned believ er, says the men, 60 and 44, do not want to talk to reporters about their Jan. 4 experience and do not might bring
want to face the ridicule that revealing their names sightings in Tuscola County since 1965.
King says the latest encounter makes 38 Bigfoot He began tracking the creatures in 1977.
The men, both route drivers in the Mayville area. described the first animal as about 7 feet to 8 feet tall and weighing about 500 pounds to 600 pounds. "large enough to flip their vehicle," King says.
They described the second as smaller, about 5
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gloomy.
The ceiling is low ar 1 the office
Dim lights cast shadows amid
the dark images of pictures and
newspaper clippings of Bigfoot.
quatch investigator who set out in
King says he is a Bigfoot/Sas-
the late 1970s determined to show
that the creature is a myth.
believer.
Along the way, he became a
"I wanted to prove to myself that
the mystery was a hoax," he said.
"For three years. I backlogged ac-

counts from Ohio, Indiana, Pennsylvania, Virginia, Michigan and mainly Canada.
"I found just the opposite... and I've seen the animal myself."
King said his encounters occurred near Kingston in 1978 and six years later outside Caro near Enos Park on M-46.
"We are dealing with some species of ape - not a humanoid." he said. "It could be part human, but I doubt it.'
King wants to kill one of the creatures to collect a six-figure reward. to provide a specimen for scientific study and to supply the conclusive evidence that Bigfoot exists.
He carries a high-powered rifle and a pistol as backup. and he pounds.
feet tall and weighing about 300 pounds to 400
"Both animals seemed undisturbed by the vehicle reported.
as they stared into its lights," King says the men
The 60-year-old told King he was about to open.. the door and shine a flashlight on the creatures began approaching.
when his partner stopped him because the animals
The men backed their vehicle away, King says.
. He says he is puzzled by the encounter because most Bigfoot creatures are docile.
Several weeks passed between the sighting and when the men gave their account.
King says he only found two vague barefoot their origin.
tracks in the mud and that he is skeptical about
"The tracks were both of the same animal," he says. "They were quite obliterated."
strongly recommends that the average person not venture into the woods around Caro unarmed.
"I've worked on the theory of using a dart gun." he said. "It is impractical because a dart gun isn't accurate over 50 yards, and another dosage."
problem is (tranquilizer) dart
For doubters, King displays plaster casts of footprints taken at the scene of various sightings.

He also points to pictures from
the 1967 Patterson-Gimlin film.
ty. Calif.
which was shot in Del Norte Coun-
creature with long shaggy hair and
The film shows a large, stocky
a flat face walking across a clearing
to a woods.
Accounts of such humanlike ani-
mals are found in Indian lore and
throughout the world.
In the former Soviet Union, the
creature is known as Alama, in the
Himalayas as Yeti and in some
parts of North America as
Sasquatch.
The legend began in California in
1958 when a construction crew re-
turned to find its worksite
demolished.
Something apparently had tossed
overturned a trailer.
250-gallon drums over a cliff and
Huge barefoot prints in the sand
petrator.
were the only evidence of the per-
King claims to have seen foot-
prints at least 17 inches long, 8
es at the heel.
inches wide and tapering to 5 inch-
He has encased in glass what he
insists is Bigfoot fecal matter from
Benzie County.
Although Tuscola County has re-
corded 38 sightings since 1965, King
has no reports of encounters in
ties.
neighboring Huron or Sanilac coun-
The lack of incidents, however.
does not mean the creature is not
roaming there, he said.
Those who have seen the animal
probably have not admitted it, he
said. because they fear ridicule.
"This (story) might shake the
bushes, so to speak, in letting peo-
ple know they aren't alone in their
sightings, and there is a place to
report the sightings to," King said.
"I don't need the publicity or the
promotion. I have nothing to sell.
King and his interest in Bigfoot

are mentioned in several books: "The Bigfoot Case," by Janet & Colin Bord: "Bigfoot All Over the Country," by Marian T. Place (for juvenile readers); and "Sasquatch. The Apes Among Us," by John Green

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CREDIT TO BILL KINGSLEY
Creature Dubbed 'Lizard Man' Has Town Abuzz
BISHOPVILLE, S.C. (AP)
Some say it's Bigfoot. Some say It's only a bear. Others say reports of a creature standing 7 feet tall with red eyes and three-fingered hands are simply a hoax.
Whichever explanation one be-lleves, there's no question that sto-ries about the apparition - dubbed Lizard Man have seized this ru-ral community this summer.
The reports began when Christo-pher Davis, 17, told police that he had been attacked by a creature while changing a tire in nearby Scape Ore Swamp about 2 a.m. in June.
He said the creature stood more than 7 feet tall and was black-green. It grabbed the door of his car, running as fast as 35 mph as he fled, he said.
Davis said he had swerved along the road before the creature broke off. "It was strong, and It wasn't an animal, and it wasn't a man," he told Sheriff Liston Truesdale.
As word of the sighting spread, hundreds of outsiders came to walk through the swamp. Reporters de-scended on the farming community of about 3,500..
Billy Moore, a spokesman for the

sheriff's department, said he had no doubt that there was something on the road with Davis that night.
"I belleve he saw something. What it was I have no earthly Idea But it wasn't no Lizard Man," he sald.
Moore suggested that it may have been a bear. Or, he said, it could have been people stopping by a popular arteslan well in the area.
Others say it's a South Carolina version of Bigfoot.
Cashing in on the interest, vendors are offering hats, T-shirts, Inflatable toy dinosaurs and even "wanted posters" with an artist's Impression of the Lizard Man.
Truesdale has had enough. He sald that when stories like the Liz ard Man circulate, "a lot of people try to get publicity and feel important. We have enough to do without tracking down things like this."
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 10, 1988
ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH

These notes are for the interest of those people with whom I have had correspondence on the matter of my picture of a sasquatch footprint and the possibility of its being related in some way to the hominid form seen in the 1967 Patterson-Gimlin film. The print, seen above, left, was one of a number of prints found and photographed by me on the Bluff Creek road, between Louse Camp and the site of the 1967 film footage, in the Six Rivers National Forest, Northern California, in 1960 and 1961. The Kodachrome of this print, and others not shown here, are Kodak dated on the original slides. The footprint was fourteen and a half inches in length and the stride was forty-one inches; it was imprinted in thick brown dust.

Believing that the best authority for a comparison of this print with those left by the entity seen in the 1967 film would be Dr. Grover Krantz, of the Department of Anthropology, Washington State University, Pullman, Washington, (author of the new book, BIG FOOTPRINTS, and a scientific authority on the Bigfoot phenomenon), I sent a copy of the print with relevant details to him in late March, 1993.

talked with Dr. Krantz by phone on the evening of April 4th and he stated that he is 99% sure that the print seen in my picture is identical to prints seen in the Patterson-Gimlin film and afterwards cast and photographed by various people. Dr. Krantz's pictures, (above right, from his book), show casts that were made from imprints in the grey-white sand of the Bluff Creek river bed.

What will be of interest to T.B.R.P associates is the degree of credibility that this new finding lends to the 1967 film, in that the print was found and photographed some six years prior to the shooting of the footage in question.

Peter Byrne. April, 1993.

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Sunday, May 23, 1993
Believers
spellbound
by bigfoot
By Clare Ogilvie
Staff Reporter
At first at looked like a black speck against
the snow
It moved pudly down the mountain and
as it call close it looked like a moose
But through the binoculars the hunters
realized it was walking upright.
The wate!pellbound -- "the adrena
ah just peeps Pugh you when something
doesnt make sense - as the creature
moved ellorth sly through the snow with
oul snowshoes clothing, either
It was runbate bare naked through three
leel of shots. the astounded outdoorsmall
Told two dozen bigfoot believers yesterday
al a conference at Harrison Hot Springs. In
the heart of sasquatch country
It was big and black This creature must
have been a mutumum of eight feet tall
Was it just casually on a Sunday afternoon
stroll' I don't think so I'll have a mystery in
my mind for the rest of my life."
The men who spotted the humongous
hairy humanoid can Christina Lake, 60 kilo.
metres southwest of Castlegar, last Octo
ber would be identified for fear of ridicule
- like a lot of other sasquatch spotters.
But believers say you can't discount the
thousands of sightings, footprints and even
a video.
Meeting draws
experts, laymen
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years from
Sasquatch sympathizer led,
has been looking for acted for
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world and
can be traced back treat are tecords
"Either you've got all feet like

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ufacture evidence and swordwide and it
poes back as far as lustory
Either explanation is ridionicar but one
must be true It must be an att because
that is the simplest explanation
Green said bigfoul can reach 15 metres in
height and weigh 50 kilograms (1,000
pounds). The hair covering its body is either
black, brown or auburn Its studies are 18 to
24 metres long its footprints are about 60
centimetres long and 20 cm wide and look
Similar to man's
Author Tom Stecoburg of Calgary told the
conference that bigfoot is probably a great
ape that migrated across the Bering Sealand
bridge tens of thousands of years ago
What scientists really need to prove this
animal exists is a body or a piece of a body,'
he said "Nothing else will do.
Peter Byrne.
AP file photo
Tom Steenburg says bigfoot likely migrated across the Bering Sea land bridge.

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Nov. 13, 1987
Bigfoot Comes Forward
Go ahead and laugh. I belleve Monitor Columnlet
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Waller Bowers Sr., a man of
sound mind and sober spirit, swears
he saw Biglool while hunting pheas-
Scot
ant In Salisbury three weeks ago. He French
told the chief of police, who told the
boys at the Crossroads Country
Store, who laughed their fool heads
off.
Now, ask yourself this. Why
. would Bowers, a retired caretaker at
the New Hampshire Veterans Home,
make up such a story? Why would he
subject himself to such ridicule? "I
don't like to be made a fool of," he
Bald "But I know what I see."
Bowers stepped forward after
reading about the uproar his story
had created in Salisbury. He agreed
to take me out to the field where he
saw whatever he saw. Maybe we
could find some tracks in the snow.

"It don't bother me any to go out with you," he said, "but I'm not go Ing to go unarmed. Not after I see what that thing is."

He greeted me at his traller on Pleasant Street In Webster with a 357 Magnum strapped to his hip.

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"but I'm not gonna let it get ahold of me elther."

Snow squalls darkened the sky as we crunched Into my car and head- ed for Salisbury, talking all the way.

Bowers, 55, is a lifelong resident of Webster. He started hunting when he was old enough to carry a gun. Now retired, he likes to hunt pheas ant in a fleld known as Bob's Big In- terval, next to Mill Brook In Salls- bury.

About three weeks ago, a hunter from Warner told Bowers he had seen two strange beasts walk across the field early one morning.

"I didn't pay much attention," Bowers sald "I just went out bird hunting, two days, three days after- ward."

"I'm not gonna shoot it," he said, See FRENCH- Page A-10

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As be crossed the field with his .12-gauge shotgun shortly after day- break, he had a strange feeling he was being watched. He passed be- tween two stands of trees, turned to the right, "and there he was. Stand- Ing right out in the middle of the fleld."

Bigfoot. Sasquatch, Whatever you want to call it.

"This thing was BIG," he said. "I would say at least 9 feet. Maybe less, maybe more, because I didn't stick around too long to do any measuring The whole body was covered with hair... I would say it was kind of a grayish color, from where I was standing. Of course the sun was com- Ing up facing me, but it wasn't that bright... The face, I couldn't make that out too good. The hands were like yours or mine, only three

GEOFF FORESTER/Munior Staff
Walter Bowers Sr. is sure what he saw was no bear. It certainly was no moose, as some suggest.
times bigger, with pads on the front paws, like a dog. .. Long legs, long arms. It was just like, I would say, like a gorilla, but this here wasn't a gorilla I'm tellin' ya, it would make your hair stand up
After a few moments, the crea-ture ran off toward the large swamp behind the fleld. Bowers hustled back to his car, glancing over his -shoulder to make sure he was alone.
A few nights later, he told Salls-bury Police Chlef Jody leath, a fam-Uy friend, what he had seen and asked if he could shoot the beast If it attacked him. Heath, biling his lip, promised to find out.
"He sounded like everybody else," Bowers sald. "I don't think he really believed me."
Bowers tried the game warden next.
'There's
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no such thing.' I sald,
'Nuts.' He said, 'It was probably a bear or a moose' I said, 'Look, I can tell the difference between a bear, and I can tel the difference between a moose. This, was nelther.' He didn't up."
believe me. He got mad and hung
Bowers has shot four bears in his lifetime, so le knows what they look like. As for 110ose, has anyone ever walk like a man?
seen one sla :d on its hind legs and
"If a man can't tell the difference between a noose and a thing like that," Bowers said, "he hadn't ought to be hunting whatsoever,. In my, book. He hadn't ought to be in the woods hunting If he can't tell the dif-

ference."
Hundreds of people have reported
seeing half-human creatures like
"He just laughed at me. He sald, Bigfoot, usualy in the vast forests of
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the Pacific Northwest and Asl:
nobody has ever caught or |
graphed one clearly.
Bowers figures creatures II
one he saw live and die in swan
caves, 'where no man can
them. They probably come out
In the morning to look for appl
corn or whatever It is they eat.
"I think there's more people
see these that are not saying
thing 'cause they don't want t
laughed at," he said
his camera and stake out the
One of these days, he may
using apples for balt. A clear |
of the animal or its tracks mighi
vince the skepties
Until then, he figures peopl
bave a good laugh at his expense
"Go ahead," he said, shakin
head, "but It's not gonna chan
thing, 'cause I still see what I sec
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